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### FRATERNAL MEETINGS

Passumpsic Lodge, No. 27. F. & A. M.  
Called Communication Thursday evening, Jan. 13. The M. M. Degree will be conferred. Regular Communication Thursday evening, January 20.

FRED C. BECK, W. M.  
DAVID R. COLE, Secretary.

Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11  
Stated Convocation Friday evening, January 21.

RAYMOND A. PEARL, E. H. P.  
FRED G. MOORE, Secretary.

Palatine Commandery, No. 5. K. T.  
Stated Conclave Tuesday evening, January 18.

BLWIN A. SILSBY, E. M. Commander.  
BARL D. BYANS, Recorder.

Knight of Pythias.  
Regular Convention of Apollo Lodge No. 2, Tuesday evening, January 18.

D. H. HARLOW, C. C.,  
H. B. ANDERSON, K. R. S.

Caledonia Lodge, No. 6. I. O. O. F.  
Regular meeting, Monday evening, January 17.

I. J. DOW, Secretary.

The Museum of Natural Science.  
Open week days 9-12 A. M., 1-4 P. M.  
Sundays 2.30 to 5 P. M.  
All visitors welcomed.

St. Johnsbury Athenaeum.  
LIBRARY READING ROOM ART GALLERY  
9 o'clock to 9 o'clock each week day, Wednesday evenings excepted.  
8 o'clock to 5 o'clock Sundays.  
All are invited.

LOCAL NOTICES  
(Notices will be inserted in this column in reading matter type at the rate of ten cents a line for the first insertion and five cents a line for subsequent insertions of the same copy.)  
Goodrich Special Sack Suits \$27.50.  
Made in St. Johnsbury.

A dance will be held in Pythian hall Friday evening, Jan. 14. Music by Mrs. Wilkie's orchestra. The entire program will consist of waltzes, two-steps, schottisches, and galops.

The U. C. T. are to run a supplement to the St. Johnsbury Republican for their second annual Minstrel Show, Feb. 11 and 12. All Merchants who desire an ad in this issue can secure space by notifying G. V. Mooney at once.

Cafe Chantant.  
A cafe chantant will be held at Pythian hall, Friday evening, Jan. 21, opening at 7:45. The program will include vocal and orchestral music, costume dances, and numbers by the local monologue favorite, Frank O. French. Refreshments, cigars and candy will be sold. Admission to hall 25 cents. Seats will be reserved on advance orders given Mrs. George C. Cary, Mrs. F. G. Bundy or Miss Margaret Robie. Program until 10 o'clock. Come and hear St. Johnsbury's best talent, including some artists seldom heard. Dancing from 10 to 12. Everybody come.

The Woman's Club House association will hold a cafe chantant at Pythian hall, Friday evening, Jan. 21.

Auto Renewal Outfit—First Coater, Finishing Coater, Brass Polish, Cushion and Top Dressing, Aluminum Paint, Lamp Enamel, Two Varnishing Brushes, Aluminum Paint Brush, Package of Steel Wool, Two Sheets Sandpaper, \$4.00. THE PECK COMPANY, 21 Eastern Ave.

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If you need a monument or any lettering done in cemetery write or call 534M, J. E. Walker.

William Dennie, piano tuner. All orders left at McLean's Music Store for piano and organ tuning will receive careful and proper attention.

MET IN NEW CHURCH  
Methodists Hope To Dedicate New Structure By Easter.

The official board and the Brotherhood of Grace Methodist Episcopal church met for the first time in the new church last night when they held a joint business meeting. The church is by no means completed but the work of plastering is progressing well and it is hoped that the church may be dedicated by Easter.

### CRUSHED TO DEATH

Wright A. Chesley Fatally Injured  
In Elevator At New Post Office  
—Was Popular Carrier.

Shortly before eight o'clock Friday morning, Wright A. Chesley was caught in the elevator in the new Calderwood block and so badly crushed that he died about 15 minutes after reaching the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Chesley, on Lafayette street. No one saw the accident and the young man was unable to explain how it happened before he died. He was about to start out with the mail of his route, R. F. D. No. 4, and it is supposed stepped to the elevator to go down to the basement and out of the building. Evidently he did not open the gate to the elevator but reached inside and pulled the rope the wrong way as the elevator shot upwards instead of downwards and caught him and pinned him between the floor of the elevator and the floor and partition of the floor above.

Two or three men were in the post-office sorting the mail but did not see or hear him. Assistant Postmaster Walter Kellogg was at the delivery window waiting on a patron and heard an unusual noise. He turned but saw nothing unusual, the door to the elevator hiding young Chesley. As soon as he finished at the window Kellogg stepped back and found Chesley pinned there with his legs hanging down inside the postoffice. Kellogg started the elevator downwards and released the young man who had been caught across the lower chest and abdomen and terribly crushed.

Dr. W. J. Aldrich was called and Mr. Calderwood took the young man home in his ambulance. He was able to greet his mother and recognized his father as being taken into his home but died in a few minutes.

Mr. Chesley was 21 years old and had been a rural carrier for about a year. He was very popular on his route and was well liked by a large circle of acquaintances in the village.

He is survived by his father and mother, one sister, Hazel Chesley, H. A. Chesley, the father, was slightly injured Saturday afternoon. He started to drive down town to make arrangements for the funeral and the hold backs were not properly fastened. The sleigh struck the horse causing it to run and it threw Mr. Chesley from the sleigh at the foot of Caledonia street. He had one hand and one leg quite severely bruised and the ligaments in his wrist badly strained.

The funeral was held from the Chesley home Monday at two o'clock and was very largely attended. The bearers were H. A. Chesley, H. A. Chesley, the father, was slightly injured Saturday afternoon. He started to drive down town to make arrangements for the funeral and the hold backs were not properly fastened. The sleigh struck the horse causing it to run and it threw Mr. Chesley from the sleigh at the foot of Caledonia street. He had one hand and one leg quite severely bruised and the ligaments in his wrist badly strained.

Those called here to attend the funeral were Mrs. Eva Ayer Cameron and Mrs. Blanche Ayer Davis of Lyndonville, Amasa Simpson of Lyndonville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chesley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber, and L. C. Chesley of Sheffield, A. A. Barber and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hovey and son Ralph of Lyndonville.

### CIVIL CASES NEARLY DONE

County Court May Reach Criminal Docket This Week—An Effort To Continue Hatch Case.

Caledonia county court resumed its sessions at nine o'clock Tuesday morning after a recess from Saturday. The case of Orrin W. Kittredge vs. W. Owen Harvey was called but owing to the alleged sickness of Mr. Harvey it was passed and the case of Farmers Perfection vs. Connecticut Valley Co. Company was called. This suit is brought to recover for a quantity of logs cut and delivered. It is expected this case will be followed by the case of Walter J. Aldrich vs. Boston and Maine Railroad and unless the Kittredge-Harvey case is ready then it will finish the civil docket.

The criminal docket will be taken up then and it is expected some of the smaller cases will be heard first. An attempt will be made to have the case against Hatch for manslaughter tried as soon as Attorney-General Barber can come. The attorneys for Hatch have asked the state officers to have the case continued but the state does not want the case neglected longer. In the case of Martin D. Turner vs. D. J. Howard the jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

The breach of promise case of Agnes McGovern vs. Edward Riley that was expected to follow this case did not materialize as a settlement was announced. Miss McGovern was paid \$1,000 damages.

Edward McGowan was brought into court and pleaded guilty to petit larceny for breaking into the store of G. E. Wallace at East Ryegate some time ago, and he was sentenced to serve from three to four months in the county jail.

In the case of Nelson A. Park, Admr. of Estate of Peach Thayer vs. Flora A. Bowles and Trustees, a verdict was given the defendant.

The last case for the week was that of Theresa M. Dionne vs. American Express Co. in which the plaintiff sought to recover for goods left on the platform of the depot at Sheldon Junction and burned with the depot during the night. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff to recover \$284.75. The case will be appealed to the supreme court.

The 25 cent piece was made famous by the American Liver Tablets, the perfect laxative.

### FARMERS TO MEET

Annual Meeting Of County Association To Be Held Here Feb. 1  
—Good Speakers.

The annual meeting of the Caledonia County Farmers association will be held at St. Johnsbury on Tuesday, Feb. 1. Thomas Bradlee, State Leader, and other speakers have been invited to attend and take part. It is hoped that Dean J. L. Hills of the State college of agriculture will also be present. The reports of the secretary and treasurer will be made, and officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

Meetings for the purchase of chemicals and local secretaries are as follows: North Danville, Fred Gadapee, Monday evening, Jan. 17; Danville, Elm House, A. H. Webster, Tuesday afternoon and evening, Jan. 18; Walden at G. T. Eastman's, G. H. Kingsbury, Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 19; Peacham, Bayley's Hotel, F. G. Shaw, Thursday afternoon and evening, Jan. 20; Groton, B. S. Eastman's store, H. O. Welch, Friday afternoon, Jan. 21. Mr. Wood will be at his office at St. Johnsbury on Jan. 24 and 25 when the cars for St. Johnsbury and East St. Johnsbury will be made up. On Jan. 26 he will be at the Pomona Grange meeting at Hardwick to advise farmers as to the purchase of chemicals. A local secretary will be there to take orders for the same.

The Agricultural Extension school held at Danville last week was very successful notwithstanding the severe storm and bad roads. Over 100 men attended and the average attendance was 26. The speakers were T. H. Moran, head of cow test association work, H. D. Leggett of the department of poultry husbandry, Jay Coryell, assistant state leader, E. L. Ingalls, state leader in charge of boys' and girls' club work, and Leland A. Wood, the Caledonia County Agent. Mr. Wood is in Burlington this week.

### FOREST AND STREAM CLUB

Annual Meeting To Be Held at Pythian Hall, Wednesday, Feb. 2  
May Have Game Banquet.

The annual meeting of the Caledonia Forest and Stream club will be held at Pythian hall Wednesday, Feb. 2. The officers are considering serving a game banquet at noon to be followed by addresses and the business session. Fish and Game Commissioner Titcomb will give an address on fish and game matters in the state and it is expected other men of note will be heard.

No mid-summer meeting was held but the club has done a large amount of work in distributing fish in the streams in this vicinity and is ready to receive applications for fish for the coming season. The date of the meeting is February 2 and it is sure to be one worth while.

Lecture This Afternoon.  
A. H. Dinsmore, superintendent of the federal fish hatchery, will give an illustrated lecture before the students of St. Johnsbury academy in the auditorium this afternoon at three o'clock on "The Camp Fires of The Fish Culturist." The school will be glad to have all of its friends attend.

## SEE Paramount Pictures HERE

Feature Program January 12 to 19

Wed., "Rugmakers Daughter," (Paramount) Featuring Maud Allen  
"Paramount Travels," 1000 feet of film  
Thurs., "Jewel," (Universal) Featuring Ella Hall  
Fri., "Wonderful Adventure," (Wm. Fox) Featuring Wm. Farnham  
Sat., "Morals of Marcus," (Paramount) Featuring Marie Doro  
Mon., "The Clue," (Paramount) Featuring Blanche Sweet  
"Paramount Newpicture," (1000 feet of Current Events)  
Tues., "The Broken Coin," (Universal) Featuring Francis Ford and Grace Cunard  
"The Print of the Nails," (Selig) All Star Cast

THE GLOBE THEATRE

### Meeting of County Doctors.

The regular monthly meeting of the County Medical society was held Monday afternoon at the St. Johnsbury house, the day being changed from Tuesday to Monday to accommodate the speaker, Dr. P. E. McSweeney of Burlington. The subject of Dr. McSweeney's address was "Version and the Use and Abuse of Forceps." It was a most interesting talk and much enjoyed by the doctors of whom there was a large gathering, coming from as far north as Barton, east as Whitefield, west as Greensboro and south as Newbury.

### Academy Beaten Twice.

The basket ball team of the Academy played a league game with People's academy last Friday evening and was defeated 42 to 10. It played Stowe

high school Saturday evening and had a score of 37 to 7 put up against it.

### A Peppercino This Time.

The Citizens Bank block trembled with delight the other evening, when the U. C. T. minstrels met for their first rehearsal. Over 60 were present and that's only part of them. The musical part of the program will be the finest ever heard in a minstrel show. Every song is a hit and every singer a star. Many startling, amusing and pleasing novelties will make the performance one long to be remembered. The time: Feb. 11 and 12—the place: Colonial Theatre—the show: U. C. T. Minstrels. Don't miss it. It's a peppercino! Tickets, evening show, 50c-35c-25c. Saturday matinee, 35c-25c. adv.

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